

In re Appln. of Hasegawa et al.  
Application No. Unassigned  
(U.S. National Phase of PCT/JP2004/011488)

**Amendments to the Specification**

On page 1, please add the following new paragraph immediately after the title:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a national phase of international patent application no. PCT/JP2004/011488, filed August 10, 2004, which claims the benefit of patent application no. JP 2003-291879, filed August 11, 2003, the entire content of which is incorporated herein by reference.

On page 1, please replace the heading at line 3 with the following amended heading:

~~TECHNICAL FIELD~~ OF THE INVENTION

On page 1, please replace the heading at line 8 with the following amended heading:

~~BACKGROUND-ART~~ OF THE INVENTION

On page 5, please replace the heading at line 9 with the following amended heading:

BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

On page 8, please delete the heading at line 28 as follows:

~~EFFECT OF THE INVENTION~~

On page 10, please replace the heading at line 13 with the following amended heading:

~~BEST MODES FOR EMBODYING THE INVENTION~~ DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF  
THE INVENTION

On page 49, please delete the paragraph beginning at line 2 as follows:

~~Although the present invention has been exemplified by means of preferred modes of embodiment of the invention above, it is understood that the scope of the present invention is to be limited only by the Scope of Claims. The patents, patent applications and documents cited herein are understood to be such that the teachings thereof should be referenced for the present description as specifically described herein.~~

On page 49, please delete the heading at line 10 as follows:

~~Industrial Applicability~~

On page 49, please add the following new paragraphs beginning at line 18 as follows:

Preferred embodiments of this invention are described herein, including the best mode known to the inventors for carrying out the invention. It should be understood that the illustrated embodiments are exemplary only, and should not be taken as limiting the scope of the invention. The use of any and all examples, or exemplary language (e.g., "such as") provided herein, is intended merely to better illuminate the invention and does not pose a limitation on the scope of the invention unless otherwise claimed. No language in the specification should be construed as indicating any non-claimed element as essential to the practice of the invention.

All references, including publications, patent applications, and patents, cited herein are hereby incorporated by reference to the same extent as if each reference were individually and specifically indicated to be incorporated by reference and were set forth in its entirety herein.